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Date of Interview: 5 November 2004	Time: <u>12:00</u>		
Type of Interview:  ☐ Telephonic ☐ Video Conference ☐ Personal (Copy given to: ☐ Applicant  Exhibit Shown or Demonstrated: ☐ Yes ☐ Yes, provide a brief description:	nt's representative)		
Part I.			
Rejection(s) discussed:  All			
Claims discussed: 23-35and 45-48			
Prior art documents discussed: Howard, Bastian et al			
Part II.			
SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW DESCRIBING THE GENER See Continuation Sheet	RAL NATURE OF WHAT WAS	DISCUSSED:	
Part III.			
<ul> <li>It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate redirectly resulted in the allowance of the application. The of the interview in the Notice of Allowability.</li> <li>It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate redid not result in resolution of all issues. A brief summary</li> </ul>	examiner will provide a writte ecord of the substance of the	en summary of the interview, since the	substance
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Continuation of Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was discussed: Applicants' attorney, Mr. Austin, pointed out the various elements of applicants' claims, where the elements were shown in the present application's drawing figures, and how the references used against the claims in the prior art rejections are lacking in some of the elements recited. The examiner agreed to reconsider the rejections in view of these arguments, with the understanding that a further search and consideration may be requiered. No agreement as to patentability was given at this time.